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#### Deaths and Funerals.

Mary E., wife of Walter Warland, died Saturday evening at her home, 168 Williston street, after a brief ill-ness, at the age of 51 years. Besides her husband the deceased is survived by six children, Robert, Lucy, Elizabeth, Julia, Mrs. F. L. Thompson and Mrs. F. J. Kapmeyer, all of this city; her mother, a resident of Norfolk, and two sisters, Lucy and Elizabeth, and three brothers, George, Henry and Edward

Hulda, youngest daughter of Urusula and the late ex-Selectman Albert Schaaf, died at the residence of her mother, 779 Ogden street, Saturday af-ternoon, at the age of 18 years. The deceased was well liked on the East Side where she had many acquaint-ances who will be epained to hear of her demise. Besides her mother, the deceased is survived by one sister,

Funeral services over the remains of L. Winthrop Abbott, M. D., who died at Dr. McFarland's sanitarium in Greens Farms, were held yesterday af-ternoon, Rev. C. E. Barto, pastor of the Washington Park M. E. church, officiating. Services were held in that edifice. The bearers were members of the church and the interment was of the church and the interment was in Lakeview cemetery. Dr. Abbott was a graduate of Yale, afterwards practicing in the New Haven hospital and in other parts of the State. At the time of his death he held the position of house physician at the sanitarium. He is survived by a widow and one child.

After sustaining a stroke of apoplexy Mrs. Mary Sheridan, of 188 Congress street, while in a weakened condition fell down a flight of stairs in her apartments, Saturday afternoon, reapartments, Saturday afternoon, re-ceiving injuries from which effects she died early yesterday morning. When Mrs. Sheridan was picked up from the landing at the bottom of the stairs it was found that she was seriously in-jured, and Dr. M. J. Rowe was sum-moned. The physician found that the unfortunate woman had a bad contu-sion of the right temple and was suf-fering from a cerebral hemorrhage, befering from a cerebral hemorrhage, be-sides evidences of the apoplectic shock which accounted for her fall. The pawhich accounted for her fall. The pa-tient lingered until yesterday morning when death relieved her suffering. The deceased was nearly sixty years of age and is survived by three sons, James and Michael of this city, and Thomas of Hartford; and two daugh-ters, Mrs. William Bartram and Mrs. Robert Simmons, both of this city.

Caroline, widow of the late John W. Tyrrel! died at her residence in Long Hill yesterday at the age of 82 years. The deceased had been in ill health for a number of years but her death was primarily due to a fall she received on last New Year's day, and from which shock her health gradually failed until shock her health gradually failed until death claimed her yesterday afternoon. The deceased was a well known and highly respected resident of Long Hill. where she made her home for the last sixty years. She is survived by one son, Robert R., of Noroton, well known in this city: five daughters, Mrs. Marietta Smith, with whom she made har home: Mrs. C. W. Beach of New Milford, and Mrs. C. D. Judd, Mrs. F. R. Clark and Mrs. E. L. Andrews, all of this city: besides a number of grandthis city; besides a number of grand-children and great-grandchildren, most of whom reside in this city.

AT SPORTSMAN'S SHOW.

Hunting, Fishing and Shooting Camps To Be Seen at Madison Square

Garden, Outdoor life is all its grandeur is ing shown at the Sportsman's Show in Madison Square Garden. With its background of green grass, and hunting, fishing and shooting camps, the

hibitions of the season.

Features of the show are the swimming pool, in which the aquatic sports are held, the fly-casting tank, which is 250 feet long, the big pond for the water fowl and the mammoth cage for the live same birds. the live game birds.

There are deer and trout camps, from the Adirondacks, and a moose hunter's hut from the province of New Brunswick; a coon hunter's tent from Brunswick: a coon hunter's tent from Virginia, and for the first time a display of the new sport "trekking on tires," or hunting, fishing and camping by automobile. From far off Africa a gorgeous display of the trophies of the chase are shown. The Indian exhibit consists of an Indian village, with bucks agrees and appropriate the consists of the chase are shown. exhibit consists of an Indian village, with bucks, squaws and papooses and novelties. Arthur C. Holden, a professional high diver, is giving exhibitions every afternoon and evening of a ninety foot dive, embracing a complete somersault. The balt casting contests occur daily at 3, 5 and 8:30 p. m., and shooting and swimming events are held hourly.

by this time I saw the same o'd sign Street Clesed. So I again joined the crowd and walked into Drew Bros. family wine and ilquor store and after he ig a nice drink of that famous Gibbons United States bonded whiskey that they are selling there for \$1.00 a that they are selling there for \$1.00 a full quart and 10 cents a drink. I sa'd to myself well it is no surprise to me now why people are walking blocks out of their way to see the Drew Bros. at 43 Sterling for they have the best of everything.
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 6:53 a. p.

 Low water
 1:33 p. m.

 Moon sets
 3:20 a. m.

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### POPE PIUS IN DANGER FROM **ESCAPED LIONESS**

Animal Broke from Cage and Sought to Enter Apartment Where He Was at Prayer.

(Special from United Press.) Rome, March 1 .- An authoritative tory from the Vatican today says that on last Friday, while the Pope was in prayer at the Loudres Shrine, a lioness, which had escaped from its cage in the Vatican, approached the entrance to the Shrine and was only prevented from entering by the guards who finally captured the beast at the point of rifles.

The lioness was one of a pair presented to the Vatican officials a year ago by King Menelek of Abysinia. It escaped during the removal of its cage to a different part of the Vatican grounds, the Pope having ordered the removal. removal.

when the Pope was told of the danger that confronted him he laughted and said: "Even the beasts living in the Vatican must have absorbed some of its atmosphere and longed for freedom. But I don't believe they would have eaten me on the first day of Lent."

Pope Pius is taking an enforced rest today on the advice of Dr. Petacci. The Pope has a troublesome cold which has made his chronic bronchial affection much worse. Dr. Petacci says there is no occasion for apprehension but the fact that the Pope has been more or less indisposed for months is causing considerable public uneasi-

#### BURSTING WHEEL **ENDANGERS LIVES**

Flying Pieces of Emery Wheel Break Petite's Nose and Render Him Unconscious.

Shortly after work was begun at the Pacific Iron Works, Housatonic and East Washington avenues, this morning an emery wheel burst in the machine shop. The pieces flew in different directions at a high velocity. One of the fragments struck Petite in the face breaking his and making other wounds and abra-sions. He was rendered unconscious by the blow and the ambulance was called with Dr. Ives who took his pationet to the Bridgeport hospital, fear-ing that his injuries might be serious. At the hospital later it was said that Petite was not dangerously injured.

#### Capt. Arnold Victim Of Bold Conspiracy

His Friends Provide dinary Anatomy.

During the absence of Capt. George H. Arnold of the detective department to-day, Clerk Clayton Smith of the police department removed the decrepit and ill-looking old chair which has supported the big officer for so many years and recently at the risk of his safety, and substituted a handsome revolving chair built to fit the Captain's well known exaggerated proportions. The friends of the captain in the department were responsible for the partment were responsible for the change. It was a conspiracy pure and simple and the captain will have an opportunity to cercise his detective faculty in ascertaining the names of

Louis White and half a dozen other colored men arrested in a raid in a barn on John street, Saturday night went free this morning on a sort of went free this morning on a sort of Do they? went free this morning on a sort of Scotch verdict rendered by Judge Fos-ter in the city court. Sergt. Blansfield, with patrolmen Cody, O'Neill, Ivers, Gerrity, C. Wheeler and Gregory made the raid.

Kallen was seriously burned in a fire that early today destroyed their home. Lee's six-year-old son Edward, who was at first thought to be a third vic-tim, was located later at the home of relatives. The fire is supposed to have originated from the explosion of

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### THE CRIME OF A KANSAS PRISON MISSING STUDENT

Oklahoma Uncovers a Bad State of Affairs in the State Penitentiary at Lansing-An Investigation by the Charity Commissioner Starts a Reform Movement. LEWIS E. PALMER

(Exclusive Service Charities and The Common Press Bureau.)

most county fails are "free schools of crime" then there is at least one state prison that ought to be called the university. The Kansas Penitentiary has for years been a "boarding out prison" for Oklahoma whose territorial government, since its beginning has shipped its convicts across the border to the Kansas prison in Landon Lando sing. In the old frontier days criminals were aplenty in the territory and the contract with Kansas was highly Handsome Desk Chair
Built to Fit His ExtraorBuilt to Fit His Extraor old days.

When Oklahoma came of age last year and was entitled to put "state" in front of her name the same system was in use and for forty cents a day a man, Kansas ran its criminal boarding house. Stories of how things were carried on in Lansing had drifted across the border from time to time but nothing definite was known about the real state of affairs until last fall when Oklahoma's new commissioner of when Oklahoma's new commissioner of charities, Kate Barnard, stirred up an investigation that disclosed an a.most unbelievable state of affairs in the Kansas Prison. It costs 10:9 cents a day to feed the prisoners in Lansing and by working them hard and long in the mines, at contract labor and in the twine factory, the state has cleared up a hundred thousand dollars,—"the blackest and dirtiest cr me of modern states," says Miss Barnard. BY SCOTCH VERDICT The state makes about forty cents a day on each prisoner. It's an interesting question what becomes of all the coal mined by the prisoners. Three

exhibit consists of an Indian Village with bucks, squaws and papooses and novelties. Arthur C. Holden, a professional high diver, is giving exhibitions every afternoon and evening of a ninety foot dive, embracing a complete somersault. The balt casting contests occur daily at 3,5 and 8:30 p. m., and shooting and swimming events are held hourly.

The show will continue daily from 11 a. m. until 11 p. m., until Saturday night, March 6th.

HE THOUGHT IT WAS OPEN

In walking along East Washington Avo. the other night about 6 p. m. I saw a large crowd of men walking down William St. Of course the first thought that struck me was that the new foot bridge across the river was open. So I joined the crowd and walked into Drew Bros.

In looking over where I thought sue the new foot bridge had ought to be by this time I saw the same o'd sign Street Clessed. So I again joined the crowd and walked into Drew Bros.

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Cleveland, March 1.—James Lee, aged 0, was burned to death, and Henry Callen was seriously burned in a fire wouldn't be put on bread and water die: and chained up to the walls of the dungeon!"

Some say that the stories of the "water hole" and "the crib" are iso-lated instances that ought not to count too much in the condemnation of the Kansas prison. But there is a "water hole" and there is a "crib" and there are unprintable immoralities all there are unprintable immoralities all of which have their uses in subduing refactory men. Miss Barnard says that while going through the mine a coal begrimmed prisoner "shot swiftly, silently, and steathly from the darkness. grabbed me by the arm and whispeged these words: 'See the water hole, girl, for God's sake see the water hole.' I said, what is the water hole? He answered. 'Where they throw us in and said, what is the water hole? He answered, 'Where they throw us in and pump water on us. It's terrible, see it.' Before I had time to ask where to find the water hole the convict was gone—the Superintendent was returning." And the superintendent said, 'There is no water hole." Is there? A letter from an Oklahoma prisoner to Miss Barnard quoted in her report says "After you had come and gone

gone—the Superintendent was returning." And the superintendent said. "There is no water hole." Is there? A letter from an Oklahoma prisoner to Miss Barnard quoted in her report says, "After you had come and gone we fell into the old rut and by Saturday night the 'holes' were all full and the crib and water played no small part, so official displeasure at your frankly expressed opinions vented itself in retaliation upon helpless convicts."

That there are dungeons there is no doubt. Miss Barnard saw fourteen of them ill ventilated and unlighted, with from hooks in the wall from which hand cuffs hung. The convict lies on the floor during the right and when daylight struggles in through the little openings at the tops of the cells, he is hand cuffed to the wall where he stands during the day. "On the second day of my visit," says Miss Barnard "I went down to the dungeon and there found a sixteen year old Oklahoma boy shackled up to a sprocket in the dungeon wall. Upon inquiry I found that he had been placed in this dungeon the night before, and that he had called for the Warden at 7 o'clock in the morning when they lifted him from the floor to shackle him to the Orient. Senators the well into the Orient. Senators and Hopkins and Representative Brownlow of Tennessee were in conference with him during the forence. Hopkins' call was in relation to the fight he is making for his senatorial district out in II hois and it is expected he is importuning the President-elect to assist him. Mr Taft will keep religiously aloof from the Illinois squabble, however, as he deems it his duty to maintain a hands-off policy in such contests.

WALL STREET TO-DAY.

(Special from United Press.)

It a. m.—There was a stamped of buying in Reading that made that stock the most prominent feature on the floor. This buying caused a rapid advance on the prison rules and regulations, this guard should report immediately to the Warden at 7 o'clock in the morning when they lifted him from the floor to shackle him to the Orient. Senators the part

matter of fact the guard did not report that the boy wanted to see the Warden, and as late as 3 o'clock in the afternoon I found him still chained to the wall.

One of the first principles of the "new penology" is to keep children away from the contaminating influences of older prisoners. It is not at all unusual to find youngsters in county jails herded in with confirmed wrong doers, but it is unusual to find a state prison looking un children. state prison locking up children with grown men and women. And yet Miss Barnard finds that from August, 1905, to the present time sixty boys from Oklahoma under seventeen y ars of age have been incarcerated in the Lan-sing fall.

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They are cleaning things up now in Kansas. A committee has drawn up recommendations for prison reform that will in all probability be adopted by the Legislature. The state is aroused and little Oklahoma can put another feather in her new state hood cap. "Perhaps Oklahoma is a little fresh," writes a man from Kansas City. "She's doing things though; there's no question about that."

#### Poker Players Are Fined at New Milford

And a Poker Room Was Raided at Hartford Yesteday Also.

(Special from United Press.) Hartford, March 1 .- The prisoners who were gathered in yesterday by the police when they made a sensational raid on "Jack" Hayes' poker room in Asylum street, were arraigned in the police court to-day and their cases continued until Wednesday. Hayes was released under a bond of \$1,000 and the eight men charged with frequenting the establishment, were released under a bond of \$100 each.

New Milford, March 1.—Montana & Simons proprietors of a billiard room. Simons, proprietors of a billiard room in this town were arraigned in court this morning charged with conducting a poker room and were fined \$10 and

costs.

Eight frequenters of the establishment who were present when the place was raided on Saturday night, were each fined \$1.

#### GAS FLAMED UP FIRE BELLS RUNG

A gas pipe plugged with soap in the Yorkshire house at Wall and Water streets caused the fire department to be called at 11:30 o'clock this morning. C. J. Conley, the proprietor in respons to the complaint of one of the lodgers who smelled gas in his room started out to locate the leak with a lighted match. He located the soap plugged opening in the pipe and lighted the gas. The heat melted the soap and the flame shot out setting fire to the wall paper. The proprietor was not taking any chances and he sent in an alarm from box 31. The fire department shut off the gas. Conley says he has never used gas on the side of the house where the leak was discovered and be-lieves the soap was used to plug up the pipe when a social club that form-erly used the floor moved out and its meter was disconnected.

#### QUIET DAY FOR PRESIDENT-ELECT

(Special from United Press.) Washington, March 1.—President-lect Taft is enjoying a fair'y restful day and has made no engagements except that for the Philippine dinner this evening when he will break bread with

### LOCATED AT HOME OF AN UNCLE

Mrs. Augusta Stahl of 28 Goodsell street, received word late Saturday night by telegraph that her son Henry, who ran away from the Peddie Institute at Hightstown, N. J., kast Thurstute at Hightstown, N. J., last Thursday, had shown up at the home of his uncle, Robert Felder, in Nutley, N. J. Mrs. Stahl went to Nutley yesterday morning to care for the boy who is ill after walking the 45 miles from Hightstown to Nutley.

Homesickness and being badly poisoned by coming in contact with ivy led the youth to leave school and start for home without any money in highests.

#### FEWER LICENSES GRANTED IN 1908

This Attributed by Commissioners to Activity of Pastors' Association.

The County Commissioners have issued checks to the several towns in the county as part of the license money obtained during the year as follows: Bridgeport, \$9,827.10; Stamford, \$16.0; Norwalk, \$711; Danbury, \$405; Darien, \$180; County, \$1,415.90.

The commissioners have so far this year issued only 303 licenses, including both retail and wholesale, while last season at this time 327 licenses were issued, not including wholesale.

This is due to the pressure brought to bear on the commissioners by the Ministers' Association of the city and the increased agitation against salions. It is the intention to keep down

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#### ENGINEER KILLED BY EXPLODING BOILER

the licenses as much as possible.

(Special from United Press.)
Findlay, Ohlo, March 1.—The engine
pulling a west-bound passenger train
on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad blew up this afternoon, ten miles south of here, killing the en-gineer and injuring five others prob-

# WATERY ECZEMA

Itching Humor Broke Out on Tiny Mite's Cheeks-Would Tear His Face Till Blood Streamed Down Unless Hands were Bandaged -Spent \$50 on Useless Treatments.

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